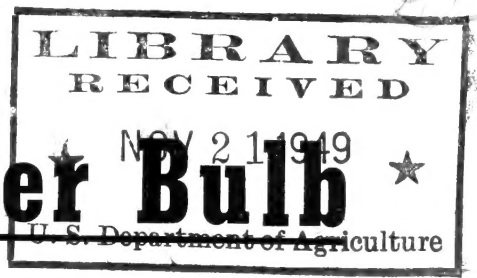


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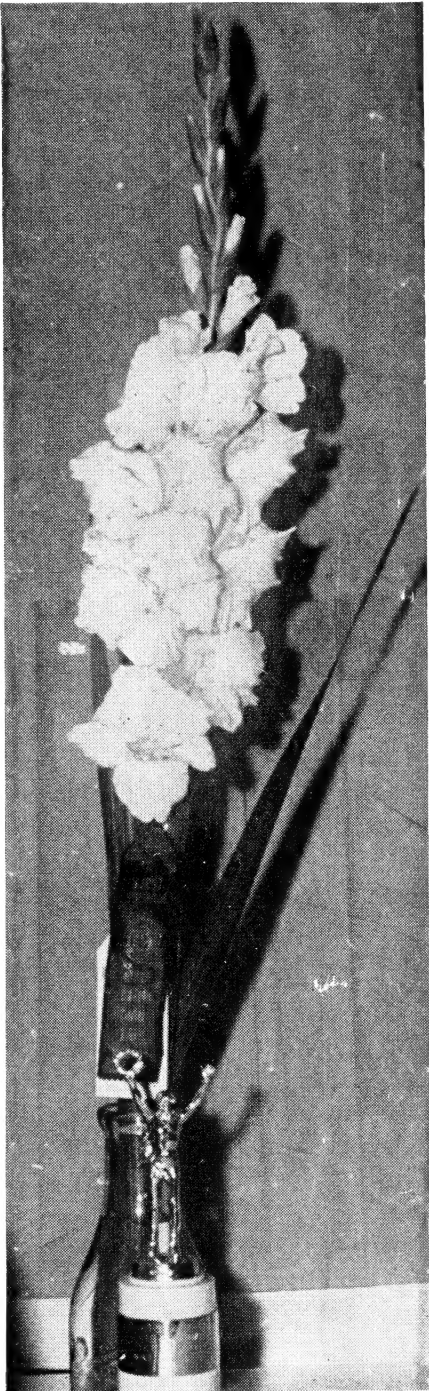


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# **Wonder Bulb**

## **Bargains**



**GLADIOLUS**

**1950**

*Bridal Beauty*

**RETAIL  
WHOLESALE**

# **WONDER GARDENS**

JAMES HOWARD

R. F. D. No. 2

WESTERLY, R. I.

## PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Greetings again to our many Customers, both old and new, and to all Glad Fans and Growers everywhere!

It was a pleasure to fill your orders in 1949 and we sincerely hope you had a very successful "glad" season this past summer. We are always pleased to hear from you and to know if you are satisfied with your orders. If for any reason you are not, please do let us know as we are always anxious to rectify mistakes or to help in any way we can.

We have kept our Catalog simple again this year in order to pass along the savings to you in the form of low prices. We are listing the best of the older varieties and many more of the newer ones. We are sorry that last year we had to refuse many orders in the latter part of the season as we completely sold out many varieties. So we say again, "Please order as early as possible," as our stock may become depleted.

### — GUARANTEE —

We guarantee all bulbs to be full size and free from disease and insects. We will replace stock or refund purchase price of any bulbs that do not meet the above guarantee. We do not guarantee the bulbs you harvest, as your ground may be infested with disease or insects.

### — TERMS —

Due to the cost of handling and packing we cannot fill orders of less than \$2.00 from the Retail list or for less than \$4.00 from Wholesale list. All orders must be accompanied by cash in full. A receipt will be sent you. Please send money by Check or Money Order, not by cash or stamps. All retail orders will be sent prepaid by Parcel Post or Express. All wholesale orders F. O. B., Westerly, R. I. Five or more bulbs may be purchased at the ten rate. If you live in Rhode Island, please add 1% Sales Tax to total amount enclosed.

### — EXTRAS —

On all cash retail orders of from \$3 to \$15 you may select 10% in extra bulbs. On all orders of \$15 or more, 15% in extras may be selected. This does not apply to the Wholesale list. We cannot fill orders later than May 1st.

### — PLANTING DIRECTIONS —

We will include full planting and growing directions in all retail orders.

## 1950 INTRODUCTION

### BRIDAL BEAUTY—400 (Howard '50) 95 DAYS

#### Parents Pink Radiance by Elizabeth the Queen

Beautiful formal, heavily ruffled white with raised midribs, slightly needle pointed and fluted. Very light cream throat. Opens 8 to 10, 4½-in. florets on a heavy straight stem. Carries 18 to 22 buds on 24-in. flower head. Florets have excellent attachment. Very heavy texture and perfect placement. Bulblet production very good and germination excellent. An excellent glad for hybridizing, giving to its offspring all its good qualities.

Scored 83 points at the Rhode Island trial garden in '49 despite worst possible drought conditions (64 days without rain). Also won President's Trophy at the 1949 Rhode Island State Fair for best seedling originating in Rhode Island (note Cover Picture).

We think this is an outstanding late White. One you will enjoy growing. \$5.00 per bulb, any size.

## PRICE LIST - Retail

VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
ABU HASSAN _____ Dark Violet Blue _____	2....25	3....25	4....25	
ALADDIN _____ Huge Ruffled Salmon	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
ALGONQUIN _____ Glowing Scarlet _____	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	100....20
ANNAMAE _____ Early Pure White _____	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
ASTRID _____ Good Early Rose _____		1....25	2....25	
AURORA _____ Large Ruffled Salmon		2....15	3....15	
BADGER BEAUTY _____ Nice Light Lavender	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
BAGDAD _____ Old-Rose Smoky _____	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
BEACON _____ Scarlet with Cream Throat _____	4....25 10....60	10....40	10....20	100....20

# PRICE LIST — Retail

VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>BEAUTY BLUSH</b> ----- Light Blush Pink-----		1....15	2....20	
<b>BELTRAMI</b> ----- Mulberry Rose Smoky	3....25	4....25	6....25	
<b>BIG TOP</b> ----- Large Pink -----		3....25	4....25	
<b>BLUE BEAUTY</b> ----- Medium Blue, Good..	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>BLUE LAGOON</b> ----- New Dark Blue -----		1....50	1....35	
<b>BRIDESMAID</b> ----- Salmon, Cream Throat		3 .25	4....25	
<b>BURMA</b> ----- Ruffled Deep Rose-----	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>CAPEHEART</b> ----- Rose Pink -----	4 .25 10....60	10....40	10....20	100....20
<b>CASABLANCA</b> ----- Nice Ruffled White---	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>CONNECTICUT YANKEE</b> Nice Pink with Blotch		1....50	1....35	
<b>CORONA</b> ----- Cream White with Pink Edge -----	3.25 10....70	10....50	10....30	100....20
<b>COVER GIRL</b> ----- Tall Pink, many open	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	100....20
<b>CRINKLE CREAM</b> ----- Ruffled Light Yellow		4....25	6....25	
<b>DAISY MAE</b> ----- Nice Orange Pink -----		2....20	3....20	
<b>DAWN GLOW</b> ----- Ruffled Rose Pink-----		1....25	1....15	
<b>DELILAH</b> ----- Large Orange -----	1....25	2....25	4....25	
<b>DIEPPE</b> ----- Ruffled Salmon Red..		3....30	4....30	
<b>EARLY GOLD</b> ----- Very Early Yellow---	4....25 10....60	10....40	10....20	100....20

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VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>EARLY ROSE</b> .....	4...25			
Two-Tone Rose .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>ELANORA</b> .....	2...25	3...25	4...25	
Purple, many open...				
<b>ELIZABETH The</b>				
<b>QUEEN</b> .....	3...25			
Ruffled Lavender .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>ETHEL CAVE-COLE</b> .....	3...25			
Large Early Pink .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20
<b>FAIR ANGEL</b> .....	3...25			
Ruffled White, good .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>FAY</b> .....		3...25	5...25	
Early Rose Salmon .....				
<b>FLORENCE</b>				
<b>NIGHTINGALE</b> .....		1...50	1...35	
New White, very good .....				
<b>FLYING FORTRESS</b> .....	1...25	2...25	4...25	
Large Gray Smoky .....				
<b>GEN. DOUGLAS</b>				
<b>MacARTHUR</b> .....	3...25			
Early Commercial Pink .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>GLAMIS</b> .....	3...25			
Ruffled Light Rose .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>GLEAM</b> .....	1...20	2...20	4...20	
Heavily Ruffled Yellow .....				
<b>GOLDEN ARROW</b> .....	1...50	1...35	1...25	
New Cut Flower Yellow .....				
<b>GOLD DUST</b> .....	4...25			
Early Deep Yellow .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>GOLDEN TETON</b> .....	3...25			
Fine Early Yellow .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>GRATITUDE</b> .....		3...25	4...25	
Ruffled Orange .....				
<b>GRAY DAWN (Both)</b> .....		4...25	6...25	
Beautiful Gray Smoky .....				
<b>HARMAU</b> .....	3...25			
Large Orange Red .....	10...70	10...60	10...30	100...20

# PRICE LIST — Retail

VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>HAWKEYE RED</b> .....	3...25	4...25	6...25	
Nice Bright Red .....				
<b>HUNTRESS</b> .....		2...15	3...15	
Early Lavender, good				
<b>IEKA</b> .....	3...25			
Gray Smoky, Red				
Throat .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>IVY ROBERTSON</b> .....		3...25	4...25	
Tall Pink with Blotch				
<b>JEANNIE</b> .....	3...25			
Tall Medium Rose .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>JULES AMOTT</b> .....	3...25			
Velvety Red .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20
<b>JUNE DAY</b> .....		1...50	1...30	
Very Early Pink .....				
<b>JUNIOR MISS</b> .....	3...25	5...25	8...25	
Heavily Ruffled Salmon				
<b>KENWOOD</b> .....	3...25	5...25	8...25	
Nice Clear Red .....				
<b>KING BEE</b> .....	3...25	5...25	8...25	
Salmon Red .....				
<b>KING CLICK</b> .....	3...25			
Large Red .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>KING LEAR</b> .....	4...25			
Early Ruffled Purple	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>KING WILLIAM</b> .....	3...25			
Light Salmon .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>LADY ANN</b> .....		1...30	1...20	
Very Good White .....				
<b>LADY BOO</b> .....		2...25	4...25	
Beautiful Shell Pink				
<b>LADY JANE</b> .....	4...25			
Good Commercial				
Cream .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>LANTANA</b> .....	4...25			
Early Orange & Gold	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20



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VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>LAVENDER PRINCE</b> Large Lavender, good	2....25	3....25	4....25	
<b>LA VENTIA</b> ..... Large Tall White, Good .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>LEADING LADY</b> ..... Creamy White, Very Good .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>LUSTRE</b> ..... Light Rosy, Pink.....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>MADELEINE BROWN</b> Salmon, Improved Picardy .....	1....20	2....20	3....20	
<b>MARGARET BEATON</b> White, Red Blotch, Good .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>MARSEILLAISE</b> ..... Large Red .....	3....25	5....25	8....25	
<b>MIDNIGHT RED</b> ..... Black Red, White Lines .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>MISS VERMONT</b> ..... Ruffled Light Pink....	1....20	2....20	3....20	
<b>MISS WISCONSIN</b> ..... Best Rose .....	1....25	2....25	3....25	
<b>MOHAWK</b> ..... Dark Velvety Red.....	3....25	5....25	8....25	
<b>MOTHER KADEL</b> ..... Good Commercial Yellow .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	100....20
<b>MYRNA FAYE</b> ..... Early Lavender, good		1....40	1....30	
<b>NEW ERA</b> ..... Heavily Ruffled Pink	3....25	3....25	4....25	6....25
<b>OHIO NONPAREIL</b> .... Large Red .....	3....25 10....70	10....50	10....30	
<b>OPHIR</b> ..... Ruffled Yellow, Red Blotch .....	3....25	4....25	5....25	

# PRICE LIST — Retail

VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>OREGON GOLD</b> .....	3...25			
Light Ruffled Yellow .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20
<b>ORIENTAL PEARL</b> ...	1...20	1...15	1...10	
Huge Cream .....				
<b>PHANTOM BEAUTY</b> ...		1...60	1...40	
Light Pink, many open				
<b>PICARDY</b>				
(Our Special Strain)	4...25			
Popular Salmon .....	10...60	10...50	10...30	
<b>PINK PICARDY</b> .....	3...25	4...25	6...25	
Pink Sport of Picardy				
<b>PINK CHARM</b> .....	1...25	1...15	1...10	
Medium Pink .....				
<b>PINK RADIANCE</b> .....	4...25			
Good Commercial Pink .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>PIONEER</b> .....	2...25	3...25	4...25	
Deep Pink, Cream				
Throat .....				
<b>RED CHERRY</b> .....		1...50	1...30	
Tall Cherry Red, Early				
<b>R. B.</b> .....	3...25	4...25	6...25	
Large Bronze Smoky				
<b>RED CHARM</b> .....	3...25			
Very Good Red .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>ROSA VAN LIMA</b> .....	4...25			
Good Rose Pink Early .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>ROSEA</b> .....	2...25	3...25	4...25	
Large Light Rose .....				
<b>ROSY MORN (RILEY)</b>	3...25			
Coral Rose .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20
<b>ROYAL WINSOR</b> .....		1...30	1...20	
Very Good Light Red				
<b>SALUTATION</b> .....	3...25	4...25	6...25	
Nice Early Pink .....				
<b>SENSATION</b> .....	3...25			
Tall Large Rose .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	

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VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>SILENTIUM</b> .....	4...25			
Tall White-Red Throat	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>SILVER WINGS</b> .....		3...25	5...25	
Ruffled White, very good				
<b>SNOW PRINCESS</b> .....	4...25			
Good Commercial				
White .....	10...60	10...40	10...20	100...20
<b>SPIC AND SPAN</b> .....		1...70	1...60	
Excellent Ruffled Pink				
<b>STELLA ANTISDALE</b> .....	3...25			
Huge Pink .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20
<b>STOPLIGHT</b> .....	3...25			
Ruffled Red .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>SUNLIGHT</b> .....		1...25	1...15	
Nice Orange .....				
<b>SUNSPOT</b> .....		1...50	1...30	
Apricot-Rose Blotch				
Good .....				
<b>SURFSIDE</b> .....	3...25			
Good Late Commercial				
White .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	
<b>SUSQUEHANNA</b> .....		4...25	6...25	
Tall Buff .....				
<b>TAHLAHNEKA</b> .....	3...25	4...25	6...25	
Large Light Yellow				
<b>TITAN</b> .....	2...25			
Huge Salmon, Very				
Good .....	10 1.00	10...60	10...40	
<b>TRUE LOVE</b> .....	2...25	4...25	6...25	
Early Shell Pink .....				
<b>TUNIA'S MAHOMET</b> .....	2...25	4...25	6...25	
Large Plum Smoky				
<b>TUTS BOTH</b> .....		1...15	1...10	
Nice Deep Orange .....				
<b>VALERIA</b> .....	3...25			
Light Scarlet Red .....	10...70	10...50	10...30	100...20

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VARIETY	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets
<b>VAN GOLD</b> .....	3....25			
Deepest Yellow, Good Commercial ..	10....70	10....50	10....30	100....20
<b>VICTORY QUEEN</b> ....		1....20	2....20	
Ruffled Salmon, very good .....				
<b>W. R. READER</b> .....	3....25	4....25	6.25	
Large Salmon .....				
<b>WHITE GOLD</b> .....	4....25			
Large Tall Cream ....	10....60	10....40	10....20	100....20

## Wholesale Price List

VARIETY	Per 100	#1 & 2	#3 & 4	#5 & 6
<b>BLUE BEAUTY</b> .....		\$4.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
<b>CAPEHEART</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
<b>CORONA</b> .....		4.00	2.00	1.00
<b>COVER GIRL</b> .....		5.00	3.00	2.00
<b>ETHEL CAVE-COLE</b> .....		4.00	2.00	1.00
<b>GARDENIA</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
<b>GOLD DUST</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
<b>KING LEAR</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
Per 1000 .....		20.00	14.00	7.00
<b>LADY JANE</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
<b>OREGON GOLD</b> .....		4.00	2.00	1.00
<b>PINK RADIANCE</b> .....		4.00	2.00	1.00
<b>ROSA VAN LIMA</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
Per 1000 .....		20.00	14.00	7.00
<b>SILENTIUM</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
Per 1000 .....		20.00	14.00	7.00
<b>SNOW PRINCESS</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
<b>STELLA ANTISDALE</b> .....		4.00	2.00	1.00
<b>WHITE GOLD</b> .....		3.00	1.75	1.00
Per 1000 .....		20.00	14.00	7.00

25 Bulbs at 100 Rate; 250 at 1000 Rate.

### — COLLECTION —

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